

MISSOURI STATE BOARD OF HEALTH  
BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

PLACE OF DEATH  
County St. Louis  
Township Central  
or  
Village  
or  
City St. Louis Bellston

Registration District No. 787 File No. 3275  
Primary Registration District No. 4472 Registered No. 2  
6319 Julian Ave St. Ward

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

FULL NAME Mary J. Joseph Jessup

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

SEX Female COLOR OR RACE White SINGLE MARRIED WIDOWED OR DIVORCED Married  
(Write the word)

DATE OF DEATH July 5, 1910  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

DATE OF BIRTH Dec 25, 1839  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

I HEREBY CERTIFY, that I attended deceased from Nov 2, 1910, to July 5, 1910, that I last saw her alive on July 4, 1910, and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at 8 20 a.m.  
The CAUSE OF DEATH\* was as follows:

AGE 71 yrs. 11 mos. 11 ds. IF LESS than 1 day, \_\_\_ hrs. or \_\_\_ min.?

Apoplexy  
(Duration) \_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_ ds.

OCCUPATION (a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work Housewife  
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer) Housewife

Contributory Endarteritis  
(Duration) \_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_ ds.

BIRTHPLACE (City or town, State or foreign country) Ohio

(Signed) W. E. Hareal M. D.  
July 5, 1910 (Address) 6201 Etzel

NAME OF FATHER Johnson Lowe

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury; and (2) whether Accidental, Suicidal, or Homicidal.

BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (City or town, State or foreign country) Tenn

MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Mary Woodward

BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (City or town, State or foreign country) Tenn

THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE (Informant) Hester M. Keeley

(ADDRESS) 6319 Julian Ave

LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (FOR HOSPITALS, INSTITUTIONS, TRANSIENTS, OR RECENT RESIDENTS)  
At place of death \_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_ ds. in the State \_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_ ds.

Where was disease contracted If not at place of death?  
Former or usual residence

Filed Jan. 6, 1911 Polla Bessy REGISTRAR

PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Mt Hope DATE OF BURIAL July 7, 1910

UNDERTAKER W. A. Kurrus Livery & Undertaking Co. ADDRESS 311-19 E. 9th

N. B.—Every item of information should be carefully supplied. AGE should be stated EXACTLY. PHYSICIANS should state CAUSE OF DEATH in plain terms, so that it may be properly classified. Exact statement of OCCUPATION is very important.

# Revised United States Standard Certificate of Death

[Approved by U. S. Census and American Public Health  
Association]

**Statement of occupation.**—Precise statement of occupation is very important, so that the relative healthfulness of various pursuits can be known. The question applies to each and every person, irrespective of age. For many occupations a single word or term on the first line will be sufficient, e. g., *Farmer* or *Planter*, *Physician*, *Composer*, *Architect*, *Locomotive engineer*, *Civil engineer*, *Stationary fireman*, etc. But in many cases, especially in industrial employments, it is necessary to know (a) the kind of work and also (b) the nature of the business or industry, and therefore an additional line is provided for the latter statement; it should be used only when needed. As examples: (a) *Spinner*, (b) *Cotton mill*; (a) *Salesman*, (b) *Grocery*; (a) *Foreman*, (b) *Automobile factory*. The material worked on may form part of the second statement. Never return "Laborer," "Foreman," "Manager," "Dealer," etc., without more precise specification, as *Day laborer*, *Farm laborer*, *Laborer—Coal mine*, etc. Women at home, who are engaged in the duties of the household only (not paid *Housekeepers* who receive a definite salary), may be entered as *Housewife*, *Housework*, or *At home*, and children, not gainfully employed, as *At school* or *At home*. Care should be taken to report specifically the occupations of persons engaged in domestic service for wages, as *Servant*, *Cook*, *Housemaid*, etc. If the occupation has been changed or given up on account of the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH, state occupation at beginning of illness. If retired from business, that fact may be indicated thus: *Farmer (retired, 6 yrs.)*. For persons who have no occupation whatever, write *None*.

**Statement of cause of death.**—Name, first, the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH (the primary affection with respect to time and causation), using always the same accepted term for the same disease. Examples: *Cerebrospinal fever* (the only definite synonym is "Epidemic cerebrospinal meningitis"); *Diphtheria* (avoid use of "Croup"); *Typhoid fever* (never report "Typhoid pneumonia"); *Lobar pneumonia*; *Bronchopneumonia* ("Pneumonia," unqualified, is indefinite); *Tuberculosis of lungs, meninges, peritoneum*, etc., *Carcinoma*, *Sar-*

*coma*, etc., of ..... (name origin; "Cancer" is less definite; avoid use of "Tumor" for malignant neoplasms); *Measles*; *Whooping cough*; *Chronic valvular heart disease*; *Chronic interstitial nephritis*, etc. The contributory (secondary or intercurrent) affection need not be stated unless important. Example: *Measles* (disease causing death), *29 ds.*; *Bronchopneumonia* (secondary), *10 ds.* Never report mere symptoms or terminal conditions, such as "Asthenia," "Anaemia" (merely symptomatic), "Atrophy," "Collapse," "Coma," "Convulsions," "Debility" ("Congenital," "Senile," etc.), "Dropsy," "Exhaustion," "Heart failure," "Haemorrhage," "Inanition," "Marasmus," "Old age," "Shock," "Uraemia," "Weakness," etc., when a definite disease can be ascertained as the cause. Always qualify all diseases resulting from childbirth or miscarriage, as "PUERPERAL septicaemia," "PUERPERAL peritonitis," etc. State cause for which surgical operation was undertaken. For VIOLENT DEATHS state MEANS OF INJURY and qualify as ACCIDENTAL, SUICIDAL, or HOMICIDAL, or as probably such, if impossible to determine definitely. Examples: *Accidental drowning*; *Struck by railway train—accident*; *Revolver wound of head—homicide*; *Poisoned by carbolic acid—probably suicide*. The nature of the injury, as fracture of skull, and consequences (e. g., *sepsis*, *tetanus*) may be stated under the head of "Contributory." (Recommendations on statement of cause of death approved by Committee on Nomenclature of the American Medical Association.)



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THE STATE BOARD OF HEALTH OF MISSOURI  
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State of Missouri  
County of St. Louis } ss.

State File No. ....

AFFIDAVIT FOR CORRECTION OF A RECORD

Local Registrar's No. 2

On this 8<sup>th</sup> day of March, 1950, before me appears.....

Jesse J. Jessup, who, upon his oath, states that the original record of ~~birth~~ death for MARY J. JESSUP, died JAN 5 born, 1911, in the State of Missouri, and which was filed at Clayton on JAN 6, 1911, should be corrected as follows:

Item No. .... should read MARY J. JESSUP

Instead of MARY J. JESSEY

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The above is true to the best of my knowledge, information and belief.

(SEAL)

X Affiant Jesse Jessup Hanson Relationship  
RFD #5 East Plains, Ill.  
Present Address.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8 day of March, 1950

My Commission expires Aug. 28 - 1953 Margaret Hanson Secretary Public.

Affidavits containing erasures will not be accepted; draw one line through error and write above it.

*[Faint, illegible text at the top of the page]*

